GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3271
ANSWERED ON:21.12.2004
ATROCITIES BY DELHI POLICE PERSONNEL
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether various atrocities committed by Delhi Police Personnel as reported in the Pioneer dated September 21, 2004 and Dainik Jagran dated September, 19-20, 2004;State Governments ;

(b) if so, whether the Government has made any investigations on such incidents;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Delhi Police tried to shield their criminal colleagues;

(e) if so, the action taken/proposed to be taken against the erring police personnel; and

(f) the steps taken by the Government to improve the behaviour of Delhi Police personnel?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a) to (c): A case vide FIR No. 311 has been registered u/s 307 IPC at Mayur Vihar Police Station on 17th September, 2004 against the Constable of Delhi Police involved in the shooting incident as reported in the Dainik Jagran on 19th September, 2004. The Constable was arrested on 18.9.2004. As regards the allegation regarding non-registration of case by the Tilak Nagar Police Station, as reported in the Poineer on 21st September, 2004, a vigilance inquiry was conducted. Following the vigilance enquiry, a case vide FIR No. 724 has been registered u/s 147/149/323/452/506 IPC at Tilak Nagar Police Station on 21st September, 2004 and the three accused have been arrested. Two Assistant Sub-Inspectors responsible for non-registration of case have been transferred to non-sensitive places.

(d): No, Sir.

(e): Action has been taken against the erring Police Personnel, as mentioned in reply to part (a) to (c) above.

(f): Action taken to improve the behaviour of Delhi Police personnel includes organizing lectures by Senior police officers, behavioural experts and NGOs to sensitise them about their role and responsibilities towards public; motivating them to take prompt action on complaints from the public; and briefing them regularly by supervisory officers to be courteous, polite and responsive to the public.